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$\binom{2}{2}$	President of the United States of not allowing individuals and pharmacies in
3	the United States to import and re-import prescription medications purchased
4	in other countries that have regulatory safeguards for the manufacture and
5	distribution of drugs comparable to regulatory safeguards in the United States.
6	Whereas, Americans pay drug prices that are 30 to 300 percent more to fill their
7	prescriptions than in European and other industrialized nations; and
8	Whereas, the United States is the world's largest market for pharmaceuticals
9	yet consumers still pay the world's highest prices; and
10	Whereas, according to the Congressional Budget Office, American seniors
(11)	alone will spend \$1.8 trillion dollars on pharmaceuticals over the next ter years; and
12	Whereas, allowing open pharmaceutical markets from abroad could lower
13	prices at least 35 percent and save American consumers at least \$635 billion of their
14	own money each year; and

1 Whereas, pharmaceutical companies reported sales of \$219 billion in 2002 and made \$20 million in federal campaign contributions during the last election cycle; 2 3 now, therefore, be it Resolved by the assembly, the senate concurring, That the Wisconsin 4 **(5)** State Legislature opposes the policy of the U.S. Food and Drug Administration and the resident of the United States of not allowing individuals and pharmacies in the 6 United States to import and re-import prescription medications purchased in other 7 countries that have regulatory safeguards for the manufacture and distribution of 8 drugs comparable to regulatory safeguards in the United States; and, be it further 9 Resolved, That the Wisconsin State Legislature directs the assembly and 10 (11)senate chief clerks to immediately allow members and employees of the legislature to purchase prescription drugs from foreign countries under their health care plans; 12 13 and, be it further Resolved, That the Wisconsin State Legislature encourages state and local 14 15units of government to take the lead and begin the importation from foreign 16 countries of prescription drugs that match regulatory safeguards of the United 17 States and that are cheaper than their United States counterpart; and, be it further Resolved, That the assembly chief clerk shall provide a copy of this joint 18 resolution to all governors and to the presiding officer of each house of all state 19 20 legislatures.

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